

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	: Kimihiro Mabuchi et al.	Art Unit	: 1797
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Title	: POLYSULFONE-BASE PERMSELECTIVE HOLLOW FIBER MEMBRANE BUNDLE AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME		

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF JANUARY 15, 2009

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: